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Being an educator in Michigan for the last 19 years has been very fulfilling for me. I possess a Bachelor's of Science degree in Early Childhood Education and Language Arts, with a Master of Arts in Reading. My entire educational career has been spent teaching and directing Title I programs. My teaching experiences have included teaching Title I, Reading Recovery, team teaching, school improvement, summer school and after school programs. I have been a member of the Michigan Association of State and Federal Program Specialists (MAS/FPS) in the capacity of Congressional Representative, President, and Executive Secretary and the National Association of Federal Education Program Administrators (NAFEPA) for six years. I am currently completing my Educational Specialist degree in Educational Administration and Community Leadership.

Transitioning from teacher to administrator in 2000 has proven itself to be just as rewarding! I have found that State and Federal Programs are my passion! Coordinating program funding to help buildings maximize their programs is just one of my specialties. As a central office administrator, my qualifications extend to coordinating instruction, assessments, professional development, supplemental programs, grant writing, parental involvement and district school improvement. I have assisted schools in transitioning from Targeted Assistance to Schoolwide programs. I believe I can assist schools in the transition process and even like it too! Networking with other program administrators in the state has helped me develop effective partnerships with a wealth of resources to share. I love being a Title I educator, and I enjoy sharing my experiences with others!